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UNITED NATIONS (UPI) -- THE SOVIET DELEGATION TO THE UNITED NATIONS WALKED OUT OF A SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING TODAY WHEN ISRAEL'S DELEGATE ATTEMPTED TO OFFER CONDOLENCES FOR RUSSIANS KILLED IN THE BOMBING ATTACK ON THE SOVIET EMBASSY IN DAMASCUS.

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UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. ~~APP~~ - THE SOVIET UNION DENOUNCED ISRAEL'S BOMBING OF DAMASCUS TODAY AS A "BARBARIC, GANGSTER ACT."

SOVIET AMBASSADOR JACOB MALIK TOLD A SPECIAL SECURITY COUNCIL SESSION THAT ACCORDING TO UNOFFICIAL SOURCES THE EMBASSIES OF 10 COUNTRIES WERE DESTROYED AND THAT 30 PERSONS IN THE SOVIET EMBASSY WERE REPORTED KILLED.

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"IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO EXPRESS THE REVOLT AND REPUGNANCE AT SUCH ACTS OF AGGRESSION ON THE PART OF THE ISRAELIS," MALIK SAID.

LATER AS THE ISRAELI DELEGATE BEGAN TO REPLY, THE SOVIET DELEGATION WALKED OUT OF THE CHAMBER.

MALIK DID NOT GIVE ANY OFFICIAL WORD THAT THE SOVIET EMBASSY IN DAMASCUS HAD BEEN BOMBED. HE SAID HE BASED HIS INFORMATION ON NEWS REPORTS FROM THE SYRIAN CAPITAL.

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